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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION FORWARDING
DECLARATION FILED IN PARENT APPLICATION
AND REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND INTERVIEW**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2004, setting a three-month term for reply. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a three-month extension of the term for reply, i.e. up to and including September 9, 2004 is requested. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$475.00, in payment of the fee required therefore by a small entity. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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